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 - ☒ Box No. I Basis of the report
 - ☐ Box No. II Priority
 - ☐ Box No. III Non-establishment of opinion with regard to novelty, inventive step and industrial applicability
 - ☐ Box No. IV Lack of unity of invention
 - ☒ Box No. V Reasoned statement under Article 35(2) with regard to novelty, inventive step or industrial applicability; citations and explanations supporting such statement
 - ☐ Box No. VI Certain documents cited
 - ☐ Box No. VII Certain defects in the international application
 - ☐ Box No. VIII Certain observations on the international application

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Box No. I Basis of the report

1. With regard to the **language**, this report is based on the international application in the language in which it was filed, unless otherwise indicated under this item.

- ☒ This report is based on translations from the original language into the following language English, which is the language of a translation furnished for the purposes of:
- ☐ international search (under Rules 12.3 and 23.1(b))
- ☒ publication of the international application (under Rule 12.4)
- ☐ international preliminary examination (under Rules 55.2 and/or 55.3)

2. With regard to the **elements** of the international application, this report is based on *(replacement sheets which have been furnished to the receiving Office in response to an invitation under Article 14 are referred to in this report as "originally filed" and are not annexed to this report)*:

- ☒ the international application as originally filed/furnished
- ☐ the description:
- pages _____ as originally filed/furnished
- pages* _____ received by this Authority on _____
- pages* _____ received by this Authority on _____
- ☐ the claims:
- pages _____ as originally filed/furnished
- pages* _____ as amended (together with any statement) under Article 19
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- pages* _____ received by this Authority on _____
- ☐ the drawings:
- pages _____ as originally filed/furnished
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3. ☐ The amendments have resulted in the cancellation of:

- ☐ the description, pages _____
- ☐ the claims, Nos. _____
- ☐ the drawings, sheets _____
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4. ☐ This report has been established as if (some of) the amendments annexed to this report and listed below had not been made, since they have been considered to go beyond the disclosure as filed, as indicated in the Supplemental Box (Rule 70.2(c)).

- ☐ the description, pages _____
- ☐ the claims, Nos. _____
- ☐ the drawings, sheets _____
- ☐ the sequence listing (*specify*): _____
- ☐ any table(s) related to sequence listing (*specify*): _____

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Box No. V Reasoned statement under Article 35(2) with regard to novelty, inventive step or industrial applicability; citations and explanations supporting such statement

1. Statement

Novelty (N)	Claims	1 - 56	YES
	Claims		NO
Inventive step (IS)	Claims	1 - 56	YES
	Claims		NO
Industrial applicability (IA)	Claims	1 - 56	YES
	Claims		NO

2. Citations and explanations (Rule 70.7)

Documents cited in the International Search Report:

- D1: US 6,575,753 B2 (Stephen P. Rosa, Motti Shechter, John Clark, Tansel Kendir) 10 Jun. 2003
D2: US 5,316,479 A (John D. E. Wong, Curtis C. Tugnum, James P. Logan) 31 May 1994
D3: US Patent Application Publication 2003/0027103 A1 (Steven G. Preston, James A. Frey, Thomas H. Penner, Edward S. Kaprocki) 6 Feb. 2003
D4: JP 2003-75094 A (Toshiba Electronic Systems Co., Ltd.) 12 Mar. 2003
D5: KR 10-2004-0036472 A (Chi Yen Kim, Jeoung Il Ji) 30 Apr. 2004

The present invention relates to a detecting device used in a multiple integrated laser engagement system and, a gun simulation system, and in particular, to a target detecting device of a multiple integrated laser engagement system using a laser light and to a housing of a magazine shape or a simulated magazine used in an arms transmitter as well as to a gun simulation system related thereto.

D1 is a firearm laser training system which includes a laser transmitter assembly, one or more actuable target assemblies each having a target, an interface unit and a computer system. The target assemblies raise and lower targets in accordance with control signals from the computer system.

D2 is a firearm training system which allows the measurement and display as a function of time of the hand grip force pattern applied to the grip of a firearm by a weapon hand of a shooter. This permits the detection of variations in the individual hand grip forces in the pattern during firing of the weapon.

D3 is a combat training system which includes a transmitter of a first electroluminescent signal representative of a projectile fired at a front of a structure, which is detected at the structure's front. An extent of damage that would be expected to be experienced by the structure is determined from the detected first signal. A second electroluminescent signal is transmitted behind the structure that is representative of the expected damage extent.

D4 is to provide a simulated hand-grenade optimum for practice by keeping constant as far as possible the detection range and distance without impairment of directivity on an origin side.

D5 is a survival game system and a controlling method thereof are provided to increase an interest in the game by recognizing a state of a player through the radio frequency communication and recognition data, and analyze a game result, and manage the game data of each player by storing the game state data in a database in realtime.

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Supplemental Box

In case the space in any of the preceding boxes is not sufficient.
Continuation of:

Box V.

None of the available prior art discloses a detecting device used in a multiple integrated laser engagement system and a gun simulation system, and in particular, to a target detecting device of a multiple integrated laser engagement system using a laser light and a housing of a magazine shape or a simulated magazine used in an arms transmitter as well as to a gun simulation system. Therefore, the subject matter of the claims 1, 15, 29, 45, 54, 55 and 56 of the present invention is considered new (Art. 33(2) PCT). As dependent claims, the subject matter of the claims 2-14, 16-28, 30-44 and 46-53 is considered new as well (Art. 33(2) PCT).

A detecting device used in a multiple integrated laser engagement system and a gun simulation system is not fairly suggested in the prior art, and is not rendered obvious from the prior art. Therefore, the subject matter of claims 1-56 appears to inventive step (Art. 33(3) PCT).

The present invention is deemed to have an industrial applicability because it can be used in the detecting device used in a multiple integrated laser engagement system industry (Art. 33(4) PCT).